

CITY OF MIAMI BEACH
Office of the City Manager
Letter to Commission No. 272-2005



To: Mayor David Dermer and
Members of the City Commission

Date: October 28, 2005

From: Jorge M. Gonzalez
City Manager

Subject: APPOINTMENT OF CHIEF DE LUCCA TO THE IACP EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

This Letter to the City Commission is to announce the selection of Police Chief Donald De Lucca for a position on the Executive Committee of the International Association of Chiefs of Police.

The International Association of Chiefs of Police is dedicated to advancing the science and art of police services; to develop and disseminate improved administrative, technical and operational practices and promote their use in police work; to foster police cooperation and the exchange of information and experience among police administrators throughout the world; to bring about recruitment and training in the police profession of qualified persons; and to encourage adherence of all police officers to high professional standards of performance and conduct.

Throughout the past 100-plus years, the IACP has been launching historically acclaimed programs, conducting ground-breaking research and providing exemplary programs and services to our membership across the globe. Professionally recognized programs such as the FBI Identification Division and the Uniform Crime Records system can trace their origins back to the IACP. In fact, the IACP has been instrumental in forwarding breakthrough technologies and philosophies from the early years of our establishment to now, as we approach the 21st century. From spearheading national use of fingerprint identification to partnering in a consortium on community policing to gathering top experts in criminal justice, the government and education for summits on violence, homicide, and youth violence, IACP has realized their responsibility to positively effect the goals of law enforcement.

The Executive Committee is the policy making body of the IACP and is responsible for developing the means by which our association provides leadership in the world of law enforcement. Chief De Lucca has been selected to represent the "Cities from 100,000 to 500,000 Population" position.

Please join me in congratulating Chief De Lucca on this important appointment.

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